

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
BOARD OF ETHICS AND GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20001

Year 2013

Non-Profit ☐ For-Profit ☐

☒ ORIGINAL

LOBBYIST REGISTRATION FORM

(See next page for instructions)

☐ AMENDMENT

Filing Fee Enclosed ☐ \$250.00
☒ \$50.00

1. (a) Registrant's Name American Petroleum Institute (b) Daytime Phone Number 1-202-682-8219
(c) Permanent Address 1220 L Street, NW Washington, DC 20005
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)
(d) Temporary Address (while lobbying) _____
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)
(e) E-Mail Address _____

2. Lobbyist(s) Working for Registrant: List the full name of each in-house person employed and each individual retained by you to lobby on your behalf. If you do not employ an in-house person or retain an individual to lobby, state non-applicable.

(a) Name Ellen Valentino-Benitez (b) Name _____
Address 30 Pinkney Street Address _____
(Street Address) (Street Address)
Annapolis, MD 21401 (City, State, Zip Code) (City, State, Zip Code)

- ☐ Daytime Phone Number 410-693-2226 Daytime Phone Number _____
☐ If more space is needed, check box and attach OCF Supplemental Sheet.

3. Person Compensating Registrant: List the full name of each client with whom you have an agreement for compensation to provide lobbying services. If you do not contract to provide lobbying services, state non-applicable.

(a) Name n/a (b) Daytime Phone Number _____
(c) Address _____
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)
(d) Nature of Business Trade Association representing the petroleum industry

4. Terms of Compensation: (a) \$1500 per month (b) until terminated
(Salary) (Duration of Employment)
☐ If more space is needed, check box and attach OCF Supplemental Sheet.

5. Identify each matter by subject and formal designation on which the lobbyist/registrant expects to lobby. Attach a Supplemental Sheet if additional space is needed.

Matters relating to the sale, advertisement and distribution of petroleum products; energy issues.

I, the undersigned, declare under oath and on penalty of perjury that the statements contained in this Lobbyist Registration Form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Ref n/a
Signature of Registrant (or, if not an individual, an authorized officer or agent* of registrant must sign)
*The lobbyist retained by contract to provide lobbying services may not sign on behalf of the compensating registrant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 4th day of January, 2013.

Notary Public

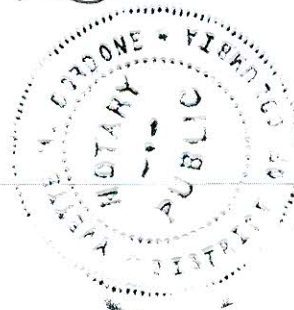
My Commission Expires:

YVETTE M. CORDONE
NOTARY PUBLIC DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
My Commission Expires May 14, 2015

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Rec'd by: S. Peterson (BEGA)
on 1/7/13 1/7/13 SP



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LOBBYIST ACTIVITY REPORT *

(See next page for instructions) ID# _____

Type of Report: ☒ January 2013 If you are filing a January Report please indicate whether you
intend to lobby in the upcoming calendar year. ☒ Yes ☐ No
☐ July _____

1. (a) Registrant's Name American Petroleum Institute (b) Daytime Phone Number _____
1202-682-8219
(c) Permanent Address 1220 L Street, NW, Washington, DC 20005
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)
(d) Temporary Address (while lobbying)
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)

2. Lobbyist (s) Working for Registrant: Attach a Supplemental Sheet if additional space is needed.

(a) Name Ellen Valentino-Benitez (b) Name _____
Address 30 Pinkney Street Address _____
(Street Address) (Street Address)
Annapolis, MD 21401 (City, State, Zip Code) (City, State, Zip Code)
Daytime Phone Number 410-693-2226 Daytime Phone Number _____

3. Person Compensating Registrant

(a) Name _____ (b) Daytime Phone Number _____
(c) Address _____
(Street Address) (City, State, Zip Code)
(d) Nature of Business Trade Assn. representing the petroleum industry

4. Terms of Compensation: (a) _____ Salary _____ (b) _____ Duration of Employment _____

5. Identify matter(s) by subject and formal designation on which the lobbyist/registrant expects to lobby. Attach a Supplemental Sheet if additional space is needed.

Matters relating to the sale, distribution and delivery of petroleum products.

* REMINDER - Each new or previously registered Lobbyist must file a Lobbyist Registration Form by January 15th of each year.

*Mc'd by S. Peterson (BEGA)
1/7/13*

6. Identify the official and title, if known, in the Executive or Legislative Branch with whom the registrant has had oral or written communication during the reporting period relating to lobbying activities, and the date that communication was made. Attach a Supplemental Sheet if additional space is needed.

Name	<u>See Ellen Valentino-Benitez</u>	Date	_____
Name	_____	Date	_____
Name	_____	Date	_____
Name	_____	Date	_____
Name	_____	Date	_____
Name	_____	Date	_____

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| 7. Total compensation/receipts paid to the Lobbyist for lobbying during the reporting period: | \$ <u>0</u> |
| (Schedule A) | |
| 8. Total of other compensation/receipts received for lobbying services and compensation paid to others: | \$ <u>0</u> |
| (Schedule A-1) | |
| 9. Total amount of Loans received by the Lobbyist in connection with lobbying during the reporting period: | \$ <u>0</u> |
| (Schedule A-2) | |
| 10. Total receipts (Add Lines 7, 8, and 9) | \$ <u>0</u> |
| 11. Total of expenditures made for purposes of lobbying during the reporting period: | \$ <u>7500.00</u> |
| (Schedule B) | |
| 12. Total of other expenditures related to lobbying activities: | \$ <u>0</u> |
| (Schedule B-1) | |
| 13. Total expenditures (Add Lines 11 and 12) | \$ <u>7500.00</u> |

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LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST'S ACTIVITY REPORT PAGE ___ OF ___
SCHEDULE A – COMPENSATION/RECEIPTS PAID TO THE LOBBYIST FOR LOBBYING:

YEAR: 2012

Type of Report: ☒ January 2013 ☐ July _____

Period Covering: 7/1/2012 through 12/31/2012

LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST'S NAME: American Petroleum Institute

COMPENSATION/RECEIPTS PAID FOR LOBBYING (AMOUNTS MAY BE ROUNDED OFF TO WHOLE DOLLARS)					TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL (FEES/COMPENSATION)
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER (FEES/COMPENSATION)						
FEES/RETAINER	COMPENSATION					
\$ <u>0.00</u>	\$				\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER (FEES/COMPENSATION)					TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL (FEES/COMPENSATION)
FEES/RETAINER	COMPENSATION					
\$	\$				\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER (FEES/COMPENSATION)					TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL (FEES/COMPENSATION)
FEES/RETAINER	COMPENSATION					
\$	\$				\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER (FEES/COMPENSATION)					TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL (FEES/COMPENSATION)
FEES/RETAINER	COMPENSATION					
\$	\$				\$	\$
TOTAL RECEIPTS RECEIVED FOR LOBBYING (CARRY TOTAL FORWARD TO LINE 7)					\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>

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LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST'S ACTIVITY REPORT PAGE OF
SCHEDULE A-1 -- LOBBYIST COMPENSATION/RECEIPTS RECEIVED FOR
LOBBYIST SERVICES AND COMPENSATION PAID TO OTHERS:

YEAR: 2012

Type of Report: ☒ **January** 2013

☐ **July**

Period Covering: 7/1/2012

through 12/31/2012

LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST'S

NAME: American Petroleum Institute

OTHER COMPENSATION/RECEIPTS RECEIVED BY THE LOBBYIST AND/OR LOBBYIST EMPLOYEE AND PAID BY THE COMPENSATING REGISTRANT FOR LOBBYIST ACTIVITIES IN THE DISTRICT

EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER						TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
OFFICE EXPENSES	ADVERTISING & PUBLICATION EXP	PERSONAL EXPENSES	TRAVEL EXPENSES	COMPENSATION TO OTHER	OTHER EXPENSES		
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER						TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
OFFICE EXPENSES	ADVERTISING & PUBLICATION EXP	PERSONAL EXPENSES	TRAVEL EXPENSES	COMPENSATION TO OTHER	OTHER EXPENSES		
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER						TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
OFFICE EXPENSES	ADVERTISING & PUBLICATION EXP	PERSONAL EXPENSES	TRAVEL EXPENSES	COMPENSATION TO OTHER	OTHER EXPENSES		
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER						TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
OFFICE EXPENSES	ADVERTISING & PUBLICATION EXP	PERSONAL EXPENSES	TRAVEL EXPENSES	COMPENSATION TO OTHER	OTHER EXPENSES	0	0
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
TOTAL OTHER COMPENSATION/RECEIPTS RECEIVED FOR LOBBYING (CARRY TOTAL FORWARD TO LINE 8)						\$	\$0

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LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST'S ACTIVITY REPORT PAGE ___ OF ___
SCHEDULE A-2 LOANS RECEIVED BY THE LOBBYIST
YEAR: 2012

Type of Report: ☒ January 2013 ☐ July _____

Period Covering: 7/1/2012 through 12/31/2012

LOBBYIST/EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST
NAME: American Petroleum Institute

LOANS RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH LOBBYING ACTIVITY .					TOTAL LOANS THIS PERIOD TOTAL	CUMULATIVE LOAN TOTAL
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER						
n/a						
LOAN						
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER					TOTAL LOANS THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE LOAN TOTAL
LOAN						
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER					TOTAL LOANS THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE LOAN TOTAL
LOAN						
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
EMPLOYER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER TOTAL					TOTAL LOANS THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE LOAN TOTAL
LOAN						
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
TOTAL LOANS RECEIVED FOR THE PERIOD (CARRY TOTAL FORWARD TO LINE 9)					\$	\$

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COMPENSATING REGISTRANT'S ACTIVITY REPORT PAGE OF
SCHEDULE B - EXPENDITURES PAID BY COMPENSATING REGISTRANT TO THE LOBBYIST
YEAR: 2012

Type of Report: ☒ January 2013 ☐ July

Period Covering: 7/1/2012 through 12/31/2012

COMPENSATING REGISTRANT'S NAME: American Petroleum Institute

PAYMENTS MADE IN CONNECTION WITH LOBBYING ACTIVITIES				
ACTIVITY EXPENSES INCURRED, OR PAID BY THE COMPENSATING REGISTRANT TO THE LOBBYIST AND/OR IN-HOUSE EMPLOYEE LOBBYIST FOR ACTIVITIES RELATIVE TO LOBBYING ACTIVITIES IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.				
DATE	NAME AND ADDRESS OF PAYEE	PURPOSE OF COMPENSATION	TOTAL THIS PERIOD	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
			\$	\$
July - Dec. 2012	Ellen Valentino-Benitez 30 Pinkney Street, Annapolis, MD 21401	Lobby Fee	7500.00	15,000.00
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			\$	\$
			7500	15,000
			\$	\$
TOTAL EXPENDITURES PAID FOR LOBBYING (CARRY TOTAL FORWARD TO LINE 11)			\$	\$

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LOBBYIST ACTIVITY REPORT
SCHEDULE C

YEAR 2012

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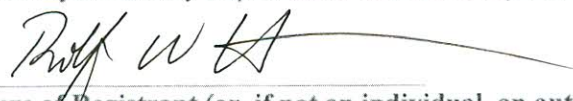
Type of Report ☐ January 2013 ☐ July _____

Covering Period 7/1/2012 through 12/31/2012

LOBBYIST/COMPENSATING'S REGISTRANT'S NAME: American Petroleum Institute

DATE	NAME	NATURE OF EMPLOYMENT WITH REGISTRANT
n/a		

I, the undersigned, declare under oath and on penalty of perjury that the statements contained on this Lobbyist Activity Report are to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.


Signature of Registrant (or, if not an individual, an authorized officer or agent* of registrant must sign).

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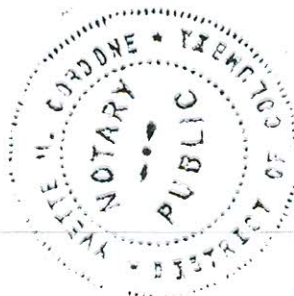
Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 4th day of January, 2013

My commission Expires May 14, 2015
NOTARY PUBLIC DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
YVETTE M. CORDONE


Notary Public

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NOTARY PUBLIC DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
My Commission Expires May 14, 2015

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